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STATEMENT OF SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW

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TO THE COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:

In the interview on March 12, 2002, Applicant presented distinctions of the invention over the prior art. No agreement was reached with regard to allowable subject matter.

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